





UTILITY PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

preliminary amendment:

Sir:

Enclosed for filing is the utility patent application of <u>DAVID R. FERGUSON</u>, <u>AN N. HONG</u>, <u>DANI SULEMAN and GREGORY L. WHITTEMORE</u> for <u>COMPUTER-BASED DOCUMENT MANAGEMENT SYSTEM</u>.

Also enclosed are:					
[X] 24 sheet(s) of [] formal [X] informal drawing(s);					
a claim for foreign priority under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119 and/or 365 in [] a separate					
document [] the declaration;					
a certified copy of the priority document;					
an Associate Power of Attorney;					
[] verified statement(s) claiming small entity status;					
[X] an Assignment document;					
] an Information Disclosure Statement; and					
[] Other:					
The declaration of the inventor(s) [X] also is enclosed [] will follow.					

The filing fee has been calculated as follows [] and in accordance with the enclosed

CLAIMS						
	NO. OF CLAIMS		EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE	
Basic Application Fee	\$ 790.00					
Total Claims	83	MINUS 20 =	63	x \$22 =	\$1,386.00	
Independent Claims	2	MINUS 3 =		x \$82 =	-0-	
If multiple dependent claims are presented, add \$270.00						
Total Application Fee	\$2,176.00					
If verified statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, subtract 50% of Total Application Fee						
Add Assignment Recording Fee of \$40.00 if Assignment document is enclosed					\$ 40.00	
TOTAL APPLICATION	\$2,216.00					

- [X] A check in the amount of \$2,216.00 is enclosed for the fee due.
- [] Charge \$_____ to Deposit Account No. 02-4800 for the fee due.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17 and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in triplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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